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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kazunori SHIMADA

Group Art Unit: 1723

Application No.: 10/021,029

Examiner: Kirshnan S. MENON

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ANTIBACTERIAL MEMBER. For: METHOD OF PREPARING THE SAME, ANTIBACTERIAL FILTER AND ANTIBACTERIAL

CONTAINER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of April 10, 2003. A fee of \$55.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted.

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